His Daughters Swear They Were Forced to Bear False Witness Against Their Father.

Yesterday was practically the last day of Governor Matthews's term in office, and during the day he affixed his signature to two pardons, two paroles and two commutations.

The story connected with the pardon of est. He was sixty-nine years old last Octoon account of his plea of guilty to the charge of assaulting two of his daughters. His daughters were aged, respectively, thirteen and nine years. They are now grown. and the eldest, Sarah, is married to a man by the name of Green, living near Mishawaka. At the time of the conviction of Ungray he lived with his two daughters, three sons and housekeeper on a farm in St. Joseph county. When the charge was brought against Ungray he had a preliminary hearing before a justice of the peace, and his eldest daughter testified that he had assaulted her and her sister and had threatened to kill them if they ever told it. At the hearing of the case in the Circuit Court | Not Retracting Any of His Utterance Ungray pleaded guilty and threw himself on the mercy of the court, but Judge Daniel Noyes had no mercy for a man who stood self-confessed guilty of such a crime and fixed the punishment at twenty years. Recently the two girls have made affidavit to the effect that the testimony at the time of their father's convicion was wholly false and without foundation. They say that the housekeeper, Cornelia Geyer, caused the charge to be made, and secured ter said some things in his speech Friday their father's conviction in the hope of getting possession of his property. The girls say that she told them if they would testify as she told them she would get them many nice things which they wanted, and if they refused she would whip them. She then drilled them on what they should say, and even went so far as to instruct them to evening papers yesterday. identify a knife which they were to say | But the mayor's wrath has so far failed their father threatened to use in cutting to frighten the doughty colonel. The latter crime. The affidavits set forth that, owing refuses to be specific in the case he men to their youth, the girls did not realize what | tioned where a detective saw young girl a grave thing they were doing, and, in mortal dread of Cornelia Geyer, consented to do

An affidavit by Ungray sets forth that about the time the charge was brought against him he had suffered an injury that made him physically and mentally weak; that in his condition he was not prepared to make the right kind of a fight in the case, and that, when his daughter's testimony was given before the justice of the peace and he realized the same testimony would be given in the Circuit Court, he lost all hope of establishing his innocence, and concluded to plead guilty and get as light a sentence as possible. The application for upon for it. Said he, last night: the pardon was signed by the trial judge, prosecuting attorney, several jurors, all the county officers and hundreds of citizens of prominence. Letters in behalf of Ungray were received from Clem Studebaker, J. W. French and others. Ungray was uncondi-

The other pardon was extended to Taylor Robbins, a Lafayette boy who was eld at the time of his conviction, and has | measures must be taken to put a stop t served all but four months of the entire | the business. sentence, allowing him all his good time. He stole about \$25 worth of jewelry, and his only defense was that the poverty of his mother had tempted him to do something to help her. The Governor said a pardon this short time before the boy's term had expired would not in any way defeat the cause of justice and would have a good effect upon the young maz.

THE SILLS BROTHERS. In October, 1894, three brothers, David, Albert and Joseph Sills, were found guilty in the Shelby Circuit Court of implication in the death of their brother-in-law, which occurred in Fairland. The three brothers | population, and some of their white breth and their brother-in-law met in the street. and in a drunken fight which followed as the result of an old family feud the brother-in-law was killed by being hit with a stone. David Sills, who it is thought threw | thing is simply a scheme of certain gentle the stone, was sentenced for life, Albert Sills was given twenty years and Joseph sills fourteen years. Joseph was paroled garments. They divide the money among by the Governor and the sentences of the other two were reduced to mine years soild. The other parole was granted to George H. Sinders, of Clay county. He was convicted of manslaughter, growing out of the death of David Cahill, and given two years good. All this, Sellars says, and then he in the Prison South. On the night of Dec. | makes the sensational charge that som a cousin and one other man went to a saloon in Hawesville, a small town in the cause one of the gentlemen who kindly southern part of Clay county. There they consented to rob some of the colored pop-met a crowd, of which Stephen Cahill was ulation in the manner described, told him a member. Greetings were exchanged, and | so. He doesn't charge that any one in authen the Sinders crowd bought some whis- thority in the municipal government turns ky, and, as it was a quart shop, had to the policy wheel himself, or that he has go outside to drink. While they were any idea whatever of the relative impordrinking the father of Stephen Cahill came | tance of the magic numbers-4, 11, 41-but along, and one of the Sinders crowd in- he says the collector told him they had to vited him to drink. He refused. They in- "whack up" in order to do business in the sisted. Finally the Cahill crowd inside city. the Sinders crowd, slashing right and left.
Stephen Cahill attacked George Sinders and cut a long gash in his neck. Then Sinders picked up a club and struck Cahill on the head. When the fight was over all in the Sinders crowd were cut and bleed- monthly meeting yesterday afternoon in ing, while the opposing faction did not | Room 12 at the Statehouse. Three adeem to be hurt. Three days later, however, Cahill died. It was for this that George H. Sinders was convicted in March, 1896, and sentenced for two years.

TAMPERING WITH WITNESSES. Edward Zaiser Arrested in Connec-

tion with Ladwig Case.

Yesterday afternoon Robert Williams, a witness in the case against Pawnbroker C. G. Ludwig, who is charged with receiving stolen goods in large quantity, went to the police station, and complained that a young man by the name of Edward Zaiser had tried to include him to leave the city. He also said that Zalser was working upon John O'Brien, another witness, who is, himself, under bond, charged with the theft of Dr. Theodore Wagner's bicycle, one of the wheels found at Ludwig's residence. Zaiser was arrested at 7 o'clock last duce the witnesses to leave the city, and had offered them money if they would go. He gave the name of a young attorney who, he said, had given him the money and for whom he worked in the interest of Ludwig. Ludwig is the pawnbroker at 21 North Meridian street, whose store and | morning. The loss was between \$2,500 and residence was recently searched by the de- \$3,000. tectives. At the house were found twentybeen identified as having been stolen and claimed by their owners. In the case of the Wagner wheel, a description of it had been furnished Ludwig by the detectives and he had been warned to notify the police in case it should be offered to him for sale or as a pledge. Afterward it was found among the wheels at Ludwig's home.

Morton Club Entertainment.

The O. P. Morton Club has arranged a

course of entertainments and lectures to be

given in the club's hall, on Shelby street, during the winter and spring. The course comprises five lectures and two concerts. The programme is as follows: Jan. 29-"Lee's Surrender," Colonel Z. A

Feb. 26-"Washington," John L. Griffiths. March 19-"A Job and a Dollar a Day," ex-Judge James M. Winters. March 31-"Bonaparte," Rev. L. H. Davis. April 9-Concert.

April 21-"The Mule in Politics," George Tickets for the full course will be sold for Next Friday night the club will give a concert, which, however, is not a part of the

regular course. Still Pursuing His Wife.

Ida Mays, colored, was arrested yesterday afternoon on a charge of malicious trespass. The complaint was made by Isaac street. They are the people who figured in an alleged poisoning case recently. Me-Ferron notified the police that she had put rough on rats in some flour in his kitchen, and an analysis of the flour showed that it contained arsenic. The woman was in the workhouse at the time McFerron made the charge. She was released recently, but the police did not think enough of McFerron's order than ever before. The associations order than ever before. The associations ing poisoned his wife with Policoning His Wife.

BATAVIA, N. Y., Jan. 9.—Howard Benthere were more exhibits and of a higher order than ever before. The associations ing poisoned his wife with prussic acid.

charge to arrest her. A few days before she was sent to the workhouse somebody entered McFerron's house and broke up dishes and furniture. McFerron charges this to the woman and for this has had her arrested.

DIED FROM THE SHOCK.

Otto Koster Operated On for a Spinal Trouble.

Otto Koster, aged twenty-seven years, of 908 North Senate avenue, died at St. Vincent Hospital yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock, as the result of a surgical operation. He went there three days ago to be operated upon for the removal of a bony substance which had formed near the spiral column and which was pressing against it in such a way as to injure the spinal cord and which would ultimately have im-John Ungray is of more than passing inter- paired his mind. He had been suffering for nine months and finally reached the point his life in the Michigan City Penitentiary which in itself was considered where it was agreed that if he lived it a dangerous thing and might result fatally. Dr. Albert E. Sterne performed the operation and Koster was removed to his room. He lived but a short time, his constitution not being able to stand the shock. Koster was a brother of Rudolph Koster. a local violinist.

COL. RITTER'S RESPECTS TO MAYOR AND BOARD OF WORKS.

on the Wine-Room Evil in This City.

Mayor Taggart and Colonel Eli F. Ritte have come together with a great clash or a question of public morals. Colonel Ritnight at Roberts Park Church regarding the wineroom evil of Indianapolis. The mayor didn't like the tone of Colonel Ritter's remarks and took occasion to say some pretty harsh things of their author in one of the

drunk in a wineroom of this city and brace of policemen gazing abstractedly o the scene, but he gives the impression of a

Neither does Colonel Ritter appear down cast at the prospect of his being called before the Board of Public Safety to substantiate his charges, but scents the fra from afar with a seeming relish and lift up his head for the fray. Though unwilling to talk much, he is evidently satisfied tha he has a clear case and plenty of evidence for any court in which he may be called "I don't care to say anything furthe

than I have already been quoted as say ing in an evening paper just at this time but I will have something to say soon. see it intimated that the Board of Publi Safety may ask me to appear before them If they do I will go, and they know wher to find me.

The colonel says that the mode of operat found guilty of pettit larceny and sent up | ing these winerooms is an open secret t for three years. He was seventeen years any who care to know it, and that som

A POLICY WHACK-UP. Allegations Made by Richard Sellars

an Expressman. Richard Sellars, an expressman at 13 Massachusetts avenue, told a Journal re porter last night an unusual story. It i well known among those who have occa

sion to know such things that for a long time a number of enterprising gambler have been separating a part of the colore ren in this city from a part of their earn ings. The device is a lottery scheme, th drawings for which are supposed to tak place in Covington and Louisville. Sellar says there is no game at all. The whol men to transfer other people's money from themselves, and issue tables of the draw ings to suit themselves without ever shadow of a lottery wheel. Once in a while they pay one of their patrons a little mone 1895. Sinders and three of his brothers, one in authority is interested in this infamous scheme. He says he knows this, be-

Agricultural Society Officers.

The Marion County Agricultural and Horticultural Society held its regular dresses were made during the afternoon Mrs. J. G. Kingsbury read a paper on "A Trip Through Yellowstone Park," which she illustrated with a number of specimens collected in the National Park. Frank P Johnson read a paper on "Economical Milk Production," and J. J. W. Billingsley spoke on "The Preparation and Selling of Milk in the City Market. Officers were elected as follows: President, C. C. Richards; secretary, Miss Lu-

From Fists to Stones.

cretia Hobart; treasurer, Miss Ida F.

Richardson; general superintendent, I. N.

William McHugh and Charles Gibson, employed in the cellar at Kingan & Co.'s packing house, had a dispute yesterday morning over some work. At noon, when they had an hour for lunch, they went outside to settle the difficulty by a fisfight. Stones were lying about, and the men began throwing them at each other, and the result was that a call was sent to the police station, and Patrolman Ware made the run on his bicycle and arrested

Old Lemon Homestead Destroyed. It is supposed that incendiaries caused the destruction of the old Lemon homestead, on the Millersville pike, yesterday The blaze started in the summer kitchen, in which there has been no one bicycles, seven or eight of which have | fire for several months. Charles Shackeford was the occupant of the place, and Mrs. Mary Hutchins, of 409 North Alabama street, the owner. The place was on a knoll overlooking Fall creek.

Cutts with a Hatchet.

Irvin Birch and Walter Cutts, aged seventeen and nineteen years, respectively, quarreled yesterday over a pipe of smok-Indianapolis. They went out in the street together to fight it out, and Cutts seized a natchet and cut at Birch with it. People interfered and turned the beligerents over to Patrolman Hauser, who sent them to the police station charged with assault and

Looking for John Kerr. J. B. Detweiler, of Germantown, Pa., has written to Superintendent Colbert asking for information concerning the whereabouts of John Kerr, who left Germantown seven or eight years ago. The letter states that the man may now be going under the name of Snyder. His father died recently and left him an estate which Detweiler is

Conditions at Prison South. Warden Hert, of the Prison South, having felt aggrieved at the report made by Secretary Hurty of the Board of Health, of goods from Wasson's store. emplaining of conditions at the prison,

Dr. Hurty states that his report had ref-

erence only to conditions at the time of

his visit in April. Since that time improvements have been made. The Mayor has signed the pawnbrokers' being by far the most successful and the ordinance and it will be in effect in two

THE APPORTIONMENT FOR EACH COUNTY IN THE STATE.

Number of School Children as Shown by the Returns-Over \$915,000 to Be Distributed.

Superintendent of Public Instruction Geeting has finished the work of apportioning the common-school revenue among the counties of the State. The total amount apportioned is \$915,863.35, somewhat less than that of last year, and giving a per capita allowance of \$1.25. Below is a table of the apportionment, showing the enumeration of children in each county, the amount of school revenue ready for apportionment in each county and the source from which it is derived, the total amount of school revenue for distribution and the distributive shares thereof apportioned to each county:

	No.			Am't Ap-
1	Adams	dren. 7,511	Tax. \$5,878.66	portioned. \$9,388.75
•	Allen	22,488 7,678	26,000.00 8,958,56	
ч	Benton	4,048	6,213.13	5,060.00
R	Blackford	4,975 8,043	3,528.31 8,344.95	6,218.75 10,053.75
Ĭ	Brown	3,474	1,065.28	4,342.50
	Carroll	6,246 10,398	6,337.70 10,769.40	
	Clark	9,409	6,691.11	11,761.25
	Clinton	11,511 8,409	6,004.41 9,075.35	14,388.75 10,511.25
	Crawford Daviess	5,074 9,997	1,296.95	6,342.50
٩	Dearborn	7,224	5,834.08 4,302.31	9,030.00
	De Kalb	5,921 6,833	6,289.06 6,335.27	7,401.25 8,541.25
	Delaware	12,361	10,902.27	15,451.25
r	Dubois	7,279 12,233	2,821.97 10,769.80	
n	Fayette	3,530	4,742.45	4,412.50
-	Floyd	8,495 6,215	5,807.45 6,183.35	
у	Franklin	5,564	4,291.03	6,955,00
e	Fulton	5,508 9,220	5,708.90 7,724.80	
r	Grant	13,398 8,844	11,252.47 5,052.59	16,747.50 11,055.00
y	Hamilton	8,968	8,509.62	11,210,00
e	Harrison	5,950 7,178	6,945.76 3,334.46	
	Hendricks	6,358	7,998.46	7,947.50
d	Henry Howard	7,356 8,560	9,226.53 7,673,07	
r	Huntington	8,720	7,710.11	10,914.30
-	Jackson	8,191 4,560	5,432,46 4,258,94	
a	Jay	8,699	5,987.58	10.873.73
n	Jefferson	7,417 5,175	5,350.31 2,951.04	9,271.25 6,468.73
a	Johnson	5,807	6,609.60 8,111.43	
	Knox Kosciusko	8,746	8,853.91	10,932.50
d d	Lagrange	4,800	5,330.66 9,465.55	
)-	Laporte	11,974	11.701.83	14,967.50
y	Lawrence Madison		4,399,89 13,833,51	
g	Marion	42,272	65,518.16	52,840.00
e	Marshall	8,203 4,919	7,193.67 1,961.81	(100 to 100 to 1
d	Miami	8,276	8,059.03	10,359.30
r	Monroe Montgomery	6,270 8,426	4,050.09 10,756.67	10,532.50
e.	Morgan	5,891 3,145	5,281.01 4,142.82	
ie	Noble	6,680	7,012.42	8,350.00
n.	Ohio Orange	1,522 5;392	981.36 2,369.13	
re	Owen	4,951	3,490.53	6,188.7
t-	Parke	6,276	6,502.26 1,707.07	8,067.5
te	Pike	6,711 5,872	2,906.66 8,332.80	
o	Porter	7.043	5,380.91	8,803.7
	Pulaski	4,624 6,608	3.138,40 8,725,48	
	Randolph	8,570	9,095.41	10,712.5
s,	Ripley	6,568 5,273	3,372,64 8,585,85	
	Scott	3,078	1,524.43	3,847.5
29	Shelby	7,054	9,448.14 3,688.41	
9-	Starke St. Joseph	3,314	2,326.63 13,847.38	
is	Steuben	4,375	4,242.01	5,468.7
ı- g	Sullivan Switzerland	7,789 3,767	7,236.78 2,272.97	9,736.2 4,708.7
's	Tippecanoe	11,492	12,950.51	14,365.0
d	Union	1,759	5,188.83 2,884.33	
1-	Vanderburg	20,764	16,688.43 4,132.9	25,955.0
ì-	Vermillion		15,974.25	20,276.2
le.	Wabash Warren	8,593	9,563.75	
e	Warrick	7.709	3,431.63	9,636.2
le e-	Washington Wayne	0.300	4,317.93 13,549.01	
m	Wells	7.435	6,613.69	9,293.7
ng	White	5,733 5,522	5,566.36	
Ç-	Balance in State			
a. le	Treasury	-		22,370.1
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Amount apportioned 915,863.36 Balance now remaining in treasury 22,370.18 Total as above.....\$938,233.53 Per capita \$1.25 of four counties on account of corrections in their reports of enumeration, as follows

WENT TO DIG A GRAVE.

Huntington, \$14.30; Miami, \$14.30; Newton,

But Mr. Meyers Forgot to Return a Horse and Buggy.

Charles Hartley, living in Tuxedo Park, on East Washington street, made the acquaintance of a man giving the name of Charles Meyers last Monday. On Tuesday Meyers called on Hartley and borrowed his horse and buggy, saying he wanted to drive out in the country and dig a grave for a friend. Hartley loaned him the horse and buggy and then after a reasonable length of time concluded that he had been robbed. He notified the police and telegrams were sent to surrounding towns. Yesterday Meyers was arrested at Greenwood and is now in jail at Franklin.

Finally Caught Ryan.

On the night of Jan. 1 George Ryan, 601 South Meridian street, went home intoxicated and abused his wife, winding up with a vicious assault, in which he stabbed her five times in the back with a table fork. It was the first night the two bicycle men were on duty at the police station, and, though a telephone call brought one of them to the house in haste, Ryan had made his escape. The woman was taken to St. Vincent Hospital, where she linpolice have been watching for Ryan ever since. It was believed he would attempt to see his wife, and Patrelmen Koons and Leet have been stationed about the hospital almost constantly ever since she was taken to the hospital. Yesterday a brother of Ryan called and the police followed him to the Union Station, where he met the man they were after. Ryan was sent to police station, charged with assault and battery, with intent to kill. Ryan and his wife came here from Richmond six weeks ago. Mrs. Ryan says he attempted to kill her there and was arrested for it, but that a priest got him out of the trouble. Since they came here she says he has attempted to take her life twice, once before having choked her into insensibility. She says she fears he will kill her yet. Jealousy, she says, is the

cause of the trouble. Searched Lenora Van's House.

Yesterday afternoon a search warrant was secured and Detective Kinney and Patrolman Mackessy searched the house occupied by Lenora Van, at 92 Wilcox street, would be found. Clyde Sylvester, a neighbor, made the affidavit, and in the house there was found some dishes which he identified as those stolen from his house recently. The Van woman is the daughter of the woman recently convicted and sent to the workhouse for stealing a package

Poultry Show Closes. The annual show of the Indiana State Pcultry and the Indiana State Pigeon Associations closed last night at Tomlinson Hall. It is pronounced by all those interested as Uhl, in audience on Monday last. best show ever given by the associations.

paid out more money in prizes, and yet made a neat sum in net profit.

SHOT BY A POSTMASTER.

by George K. Landers.

Seth T. Foresman Fatally Wounded

WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., Jan. 9 .- George K. Landers, the postmaster at Newberry, a suburb of this city, late this afternoon shot and fatally injured Seth T. Foresman, one of the most prominent men of Williamsport. Landers has been drinking heavily for several weeks and during the past three weeks his bondsmen have made good a shortage in his accounts of \$390. Mr. Foresman was one of his bondsmen, and to-day went to Newberry's postoffice to urge Landers to resign. An argument followed and Foresman remarked: "You had better get out of the office at once." Landers drew a revolver and shot Foresman in the stomach. The latter cannot recover. Landers was arrested and lodged in jail. In a statement he said that the shooting was accidental, and that it was his intention to commit suicide. Foresman says that the revolver was aimed at his heart.

WEDDED TO A GAMBLER

CAUSE OF THE TROUBLES OF COUN-TESS AND COUNT PAPPENHEIM.

Latter Wastes Money and His American Wife Is Forced to Pay His Debts Out of Her Small Income.

(Copyright, 1897, by the Associated Press.) BERLIN, Jan. 9 .- The statement made in a New York neswpaper that Count Pappenheim has instituted divorce proceedings against his wife, formerly Miss Mary Wheeler, of Philadelphia, a daughter of the late millionaire iron manufacturer of that city. Charles Wheeler, is unfounded. The count has not commenced such a suit nor does he intend to begin proceedings for a divorce against his wife. The friends of both parties, it is stated, still confidently expect a reconciliation. The wife's entire fortune, it is added, was only \$60,000, and it is asserted that she has never made Count Pappenheim an allowance. The latter is pronounced to be a nice, kind-hearted fellow, very fond of his wife, and it is furin debt, his wife frequently helped him. Their income was practically confined to the interest on her fortune, and they lived chiefly on his impoverished estate in the Development of a New Habit Which Is Bavarian Alps. Since their separation, three year ago, Count Pappenheim has Pearson's Weekly. neither asked nor received a cent from his wife. Recently, in Berlin, he expressed to a friend the hope of a speedy reconciliation with the countess.

Emperor William, on Tuesday, held a council of war at which General Von Gossler, the minister of war, and Generals Blumenthal, Waldersee and Winterfield were present. His Majesty supplemented his recent address to the generals on New Year's day by directing attention to the reorganization of the German artillery. After pointing out the similar movement in France, his Majesty asked for the opinions of those present. The exact decision of the council is variously asked for the opinions. the council is variously given.

From Vienna it is announced that the same question is being discussed by the Austrian military authorities. But military writers in the Gennan press, especially in the Liberal organs, urge the govthe part of France before committing the German army to a specific type of field.

Emperor William's dueling decree has caused general comment in the German press during the past week, and it is the general opinion of the newspapers that the decree does not go far enough. The famous Leipsic University professor, Carl Binding, criticises the decree in a historical article in the Deutsche Juristen Zeitung. He denounces dueling as a relic of barbarism, and says: "He who, after seducing a man's wife and destroying a happy union, crowns his infamy by putting a bullet into his victim's heart is a murderer. Where's lies the honor of such a man? To a guil o-tine with him, and not henorable confinement in a fortress."

Dr. Neumann, the bacteriologist, has discovered and perfected a new serum for the treatment of tuberculosis. This serum is obtained from the blood of goats after the latter have been treated for months in a special manner. The strum is entirely harmless and does not produce fever nor physical disturbances.

The old mines found near Albeureth, Bavaria, which until 1679 yielded considera-Amounts have been added to the shares | ble gold, have been subjected to an official examination, which shows that they are still very productive. A test gave an ounce of the fine gold in three hundred weights of ore. The three will be reopened and worked on a large scale. \$64.35, and Rush, \$42.90, and deducted from

Two new measures have been promulgated with the view of the Germanization of the Prussian Poles. One of them prohibits all Polish recruits from talking Polish within the barracks or during actual

Prince Regent Albrecht, of Brunswick, is dangerously ill. He & suffering from

According to the military budget, which will be presented to the Reichstag on its reconvening, the police strength of the German army for the coining year will be 23,088 officers, 78,217 noncommissioned officers and 479,229 privates.

As a New Year's gift, the Berlin Artists' Society, of which Prince Bismarck has been an honorary member since his eightieth birthday, will present him with a costly diploma, which is a unique masterpiece of industrial art. The centerpiece is an iron rounded by bronze ornaments. It is framed n carved wood, decorated with trefoil and oak leaves, which figure in the Berlin arms, upper part of the frame is adorned with the arms of the society and the Berlin bear, surmounted by an antique sword and shield, with the German eagle encircled by a green serpent. A device representing St. George and the dragon is carved on the lower part of the frame.

The Vorwaerts, during the course of an article highly praising the arbitration agreement between Great Britain and the United States, says: "After these two countries, which jointly represent a larger power than all the military countries together, have agreed to submit their differences to a court of arbitration, which will render war impossible, may we not hope that the military countries will also some day come to their senses or be brought to

The officials of the United States embassy here have amassed an enormous proof of the frequency of the adulteration of German wines and beers imported to the United States. A portion of the documents will be sent to Washington, and copies will be submitted to the Fereign Office here in support of the contention of Americans that Germany is as great a sinner in food exports as the United States.

The Agrarian press just now uses a very aggressive tone against the United States. In the last issue of its official correspondence appeared the remark: "The Yankee in his arrogance and hatred of Germany, knows hardly any bounds. The United States sought many occasions during the last few years to quarrel with-Germany. The unjustifiable differentiation against German sugar and salt and the levying of tonnage fees upon German shipping speak eloquently in this respect. If this could happen under President Cleveland, now much more may be expected under Mc-Kinley? Yet we are expected to bend our necks to them."

the last quarter of 1896 show a general decrease compared with those of 1895, except in sugar, which shows a big increase. The ex-Empress Augusta received the United States embassador, Mr. Edwin F.

The exports to the United States during

Charged with Poisoning His Wife.

THE WM. H. BLOCK Company

Announcement for Monday.

SILKS Satin and Gros Grain Brocades, in pink, nile, maize, sky blue, we sold all season as a leader for \$1.35-

Monday only, 97c Satin Brocades, in nile, maize, pank, lavender, sky blue; our 90c quality-Monday orly, 66e

Satin Brocades, in black only, splendid quality, large designs; the correct styles for skirts; real value, \$1.25-Monday only, 84c Moire Velour Brocades, in black, made of pure silk and mohair, the newest creation for fashionable costumes; actual value, \$2-

Monday only, \$1.38 GLOVES

Mocha Gauntlet Gloves, in tan, red. brown and drab; the kind we sold at

Glace Gauntlet Gloves, in red, tan and black; the kind we sold at \$1.50-Reduced to \$1.15 Jouvin Real Kid Glace Gloves, in black and colors, all sizes-

Special for Monday only, \$1.38 Evening shades Suedes, in 16 and 20button length-Special for Monday, \$1.34, \$2.21 and

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

Tremendous reductions on all our highclass Muslin Underwear. GOWNS made of the very best materials, in Cambric and Nainsook, trimmed with the choicest of embroidery; the regular prices were \$6.25, \$5.75 and \$5.25-

Monday special, \$4.88 UNDERSKIRTS made of the very best materials and trimmed with the very choicest of trimming; they were \$9, \$8.50 and \$7.25-Monday special, \$4.98

MILLINERY Clearance To clean up our stock of Trimmed Mil linery we have reduced every hat and

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ther stated that he has always treated her well. But, being a gambler and continually The Win. H. Block Co., 7 and 9 East Washington St.

STRYCHNINE AS A DRINK.

Rapidly Spreading. A new kind of patient can shortly be soked for at the gold cure establishment,

the victim of the strychnine habit. We have had the cocaine fiend, the morphine fiend, the slave of the hasheesh drug and the wretched mortals whom only a regular diet of opium could keep alive. The strangest victim to drugs of an excessively stimulating nature, however, is the strychnine fiend. Strychnine is known to medical science as a deadly poison, but when under medical direction it acts as a powerful tonic, greatly stimulating the heart's action. So powerful is it in its operation that only the most infinitesimal proportion is allowed in a tonic prescription. Yet it has been seized upon by the

physical wrecks of civilization as a means of stimulating the flickering spark of life,

and a strychnine "jag" can be added to the hilarious moments that nerve-smashing drugs afford. The discovery of the strychnine fiend was made by a religious worker in a large city, whose mission takes him nightly into the society of women to whom excitement of some kind is essential to the forgetfulness of life's dark side. This missionary recently found early one morning the form of a welldressed woman prostrate on the pavement. She was taken to one of the institutions in connection with which the missionary worked, and a doctor sent for. It was clearly a case of "jag" of some kind or other. The usual remedies were applied; but the deathlike pallor of the patient's so far as sociability is concerned, by the face and the queer action of the heart endless number of societies and lodges and alarmed the doctor, and he ordered her clothing to be searched to obtain a clew to guide him in his efforts to bring her to

In the woman's pocket was found a small bottle containing a few pellets, which, upon investigation, proved to contain enough strychnine to kill an elephant. The woman was suffering from an overdose of strych-It was with the greatest difficulty that her life was saved, and for days following this

could take with impunity a quantity suf-A reporter who visited the chemists' shops in the district gathered some additional particulars regarding the new "dope." One sold showed a steady increase in the amount of strychnine consumed. "It is off an' frowed to dese speckled chickens." quite evident that the ew stimulant is gaining in favor," said this druggist, "and the recklessness of the 'fiends' is sure to Harper's Weekly. result in some fatality unless druggists dedose they take is regulated by themselves. The seasoned hands are able to take an enormous quantity without doing their dying hearts and stimulating their iaded nerves, but those to whom the drug s a new thing are likely to kill themselves with a comparatively small quantity.

"I have on my books the names of women who are shining ornaments of society who sent to me for strychnine pellets with the stereotyped assertion that they are wanted to kill a dying cat. The women who send for the poison are without doubt victims of the strychnine habit. Then I shall show you the names of men who are regular customers for strychnine. In their case the oison is taken to counteract the evil effects of tobacco smoking. A person can derive some benefit from taking strychnine, as the stimulating action of the one poison counteracts the sedative effects of the other. In these cases the poison may be taken with some benefit, under medical direction but with the ordinary 'flend," who merely takes it for the pleasurable sensation it produces, the after effect is bound to be dis-

ARTIFICIAL RESPIRATION.

It Should Be Employed When the Head Is Wounded by Gunshot.

New York Telegram. Victor Horsley, the great London surgeon, who has performed over one thouand operations upon the brain for the relief of epilepsy, has lately contributed a most interesting paper to the Royal Institute of Great Britain upon the destructive effects of gunshot wounds of the brain. His problem has been to determine the ffeets of a cylindrical bullet with a conical head upon brain tissue when this bullet flies through the air ten or fifteen times faster than an express train. The reason why a bullet behaves quite through solids of different kinds was shown in 1848, when Hyguier made some remarkable but little known researches on the effects of bullets on soft tissues. Contrast

the penetration of a flat, thin bone with the effect produced on a more or less plastic solid like the brain. A striking difference presents itself, for, whereas the bone is simply penetrated, the brain is thrown aside in every direction. Hyguier made observations on certain dead organs, such as the lungs and the liver, and suggested as the reason why there was no such lateral disturbances that the tissues contained water in large quantity and that the energy of the moving projectile being imparted to the particles of water, caused their dispersion in every direction. Kocher, in 1874 and 1876, was the first one who thoroughly dealt with this question in the manner shadowed forth by Hyguler, and he proved in a series of interesting experiments, which Dr. Kramer and Victor Horsley have fully confirmed, that the effeet is merely hydrodynamic. Two tin canisters are taken of precisely the same size and strength and are filled with equal quantities of lint: but in the one case the int is dry, in the other saturated with water. When a bullet of moderate velocity is fired through these canisters it simply perforates the dry one, but causes the wet one to burst explosively.

It is further shown by these experiments hat the effect of a perforation of a skull filled with water by a bullet is to cause the bursting of the sutures. As these experiments of Kocher had all been upon dead substances, Dr. Horsley conceived the idea of trying them upon a Diseases at your Druggists or Malled Free.

piration were also traced by the instrument of Marey. When a bullet of low velocity (six hundred feet to the second) was fired into the dog's skull there was only a trifling disturbance of respiration, but when it was fired point blank into the cranial cavity it caused complete arrest of the respiration and only a slight fall of the central blood

that death is not due to arrest of the heart and syncope, for the heart went on beating, although the respiration was completely stopped. Furthermore, when Dr. Horsley quickly performed artificial respiration the dog recovered from the otherwise fatal arrest of breathing. These experiments suggest very strongly that the police and persons who are trained

These observations prove beyond a doubt

in giving the first aid to the wounded should be taught that when a gunshot wound of the brain occurs the proper thing to do is to employ artificial respiration, rather than the giving of stimulants. When this artificial respiration has been properly carried out and the breathing process has revived there is still another condition to be overcome, and this condition is due to the fact that the builet, having in its passage cut the various blood vessels, blood is poured out within the skull. To treat such hemorrhage only ordinary surgi-

cal measures are requisite, but these will

be impossible if the activity of the respira-

tory center has not previously been restored

Many a rural town is utterly swamped

in the manner already indicated. Overrun by 'Cleties.

Golden Rule.

chapters, and so on almost to infinity, that churches have literally been organized to death. Some of us have a fellow-feeling for the poor brother who expressed himself thus: "We asked an old colored preacher the other day how his church was getting on, and his answer was. 'Mighty poor, brudder, mighty poor.' We ventured to nine, and the drug had done its work well. ask the trouble, and he replied: 'De 'cieties, 'cieties. Dey is jist drawin' all de fatness an' marrow out-en de body an' bones ob de she cried pitifully for the deadly tonic that | blessed Lawd's body. We can't Jo nuffin' was withheld from her. From her own widout de 'ciety. Dar is de Lincom 'Ciety, statement, and the doctor and those pres- | wid Sister Jones an' Brudder Brown to run ent believed it, she had begun by taking it. Sist r Williams mus' march in front ob a very small portion of strychnine, and, as | de Daughters of Bebecca. Den dar is de the craving for the drug increased, had Dorcases, de Marthas, de Daughters ob added to her daily dose until she found she Ham, an' de Liberian Ladies.' 'Well, you Ham, an' de Liberian Ladies.' 'Well, you have the brethren to help in the church?" ficient to kill ten people who were unused | we suggested. 'No, sah; dar am de Masons, de Odd Feilers, de Sons ob Ham, an' de Oklahoma Promise Land Pilgrims. Why, brudder, by de time de brudders an' sisters pays all de dues an' 'tends all de meetin's. chemist stated that the poison book in the but jist de cob; de corn has all been shelled

Dr. Nicoll on American Newspapers,

ion no American institution is more misunderstood abroad than the press. He thinks our newspapers less sensational than they seem to be, and says, very truly, that you may look in vain in them for such matter as the divorce reports which the most proper English papers publish. Undoubtedly we Americans like the newspapers we have better, on the whole, than any others in the market, but we are so continually advised that our passion for them is guilty that while we satisfy it with prodigality we seldom attempt to justify or even to excuse it, so that to hear our journals praised by a visitor excites emotions of considerable novelty. After all, a liking for newspaper is, like a liking for one's fellow-creatures. apt to concentrate itself on individuals. Dr. Nicoll had been impolitic enough to say which American papers he liked his comments would have gained in interest all

that they lost in discretion.

66 9 99 Breaks up That hang on.

Every one has a kind word for "Seventy-seven," Humphreys' precious cure for Colds, La Grippe, Influenza, Catarrh, Coughs, Sore Throat.

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